

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: Food Batchmakers (51-3092)

Associated Occupation: Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers (51-9061)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 83

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Production and Processing	6.0	11.9	9.2	<< Extensive education and/or training may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 78

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Operation Monitoring	6.6	8.0	9.3	> Skill level is likely sufficient
Quality Control Analysis	5.9	7.9	5.2	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Troubleshooting	4.5	5.5	5.3	0 Current skill level may be sufficient

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Abilities

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 76

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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
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Oral Comprehension	12.5	12.2	8.8	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Oral Expression	12.4	11.9	10.2	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Near Vision	11.1	10.5	10.8	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Written Comprehension	11.0	10.1	7.7	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Category Flexibility	9.0	9.6	8.3	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Deductive Reasoning	10.6	9.4	7.7	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Problem Sensitivity	11.1	9.2	8.6	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Inductive Reasoning	10.2	9.0	6.7	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Flexibility of Closure	7.8	8.5	6.6	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Auditory Attention	5.9	7.6	8.4	>	Current ability level is likely sufficient

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 74

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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Examine products or work to verify conformance to specifications	15
Grade, classify, or sort products according to specifications	74
Measure, weigh, or count products or materials	17
Use precision measuring tools or equipment	17

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: n/a

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Tools and technology data is unavailable for one or both occupations.	

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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